

ROBINS DECLARES HE IS FOR HUGHES

Chicago Progressive Appeals to Followers to Support Republican Nominee.

SEES A REUNITED PARTY

Attacks State Rights Policy of Democrats as Hindering Needed Legislation.

Declaring the Progressive party was dead, having failed as a movement of permanent political cleavage, as shown by the refusal of those who joined it in 1912 to continue their support of its candidates in succeeding years, Raymond Robins of Chicago came out for Charles E. Hughes yesterday.

It is the opinion of Mr. Robins that Progressives can hope for much more from the Republicans than from the Democrats in gaining reforms, the Republican being a nationalist party, while the Democratic party is based on sectionalism. Consequently he asks all Progressives to work for the election of Mr. Hughes as "the most conspicuous example in our history of the possibilities that American politics may hold for success in able and unselfish public service."

On the Progressive Party Dead.

"While I had hoped against hope," said Mr. Robins, "that the extraordinary events in this epochal hour might overcome the verdict of the voters, and under the leadership of Col. Roosevelt the Progressive party might yet dominate the situation, nevertheless when the convention had adjourned and the entire situation was considered it was manifest that the end which the voters had decreed had come—that the Progressive party was dead."

The question as to which of the two older parties presented the greatest hope for Progressive principles, Mr. Robins said, must be determined, first, by the character and environment of "the primary voter mass control," and second, by the permanent achievements of its leadership. The control of the Democratic party he thinks is in fifteen Southern and Southwestern States and in the industrial cities, while the control of the Republican party is in the rural communities of the central, Western and New England States. "This group," Mr. Robins said, "represents the highest literacy in America, is freest from severe social and economic pressure, is in the zone of the greatest natural tendency to standardization and equality of opportunity, and is the dominant group of Lincoln and the men who saved the Union."

But the Republican party, though often dominated by the masters of special privilege, "has a rank and file of men and women who have proved their capacity to reject false or dishonest leadership," Mr. Robins thinks has been shown by the achievements in progressive legislation and administration in States like California, Wisconsin, Pennsylvania, New Hampshire and Illinois.

Attacks Democratic Policy.

After dwelling upon the principles for which Progressives have fought, also the need for universal military service and a vigorous foreign policy, his statement said:

"Can these imperative national needs be worked out by a State rights Democratic party that plans a State dominated militia with its menace of shiftless incompetence, spoils politics and organized sympathy as a national defense force, at a time of world peril?"

"This doctrine since the civil war has delayed national legislation so urgently needed to solve the problems of pure food, transportation, child labor and conservation. Wherever the light for more efficient and more humane government has been waged this baneful doctrine of State rights has been invoked to rally and shelter the antisocial forces."

"Should not wise and sincere Progressives go on massing into the Republican primaries, and fighting shoulder to shoulder with progressive Republicans help and be helped in our common struggle for social and industrial justice in city, State and nation? If this is generally done the common bonds of our citizenship for the last four years will not be broken, but rather augmented, and we can continue to work together and bring back a chastened Republican party to its ancient faith in human rights and national integrity."

Mr. Hughes, Mr. Robins asserts, has proved himself completely independent of all boss control. His leadership is the fruit of the Progressive movement in American politics. In conclusion Mr. Robins said:

"We Progressives stand at the crossroads of American social, industrial and political life has broken down under the old individualistic control. A new national mind and conscience developing social unity, industrial standardization, efficient political honesty from a self-controlled democracy—this is the goal of our generation in American life."

"I believe in the character and courage of the nominees of the Republican party. He is the most conspicuous example in our history of the possibilities

that American politics may hold for success in able and unselfish public service. For myself, I gladly enlist with the great majority of the Progressives of the nation under the leadership of Charles Evans Hughes."

WOMEN'S BULLETIN OUT

First Issue Pledges Active Workers to Support Hughes.

The first issue of "The Hughes Campaign Service," published by the women's committee of the National Hughes Alliance, appeared yesterday. The editorial page states that it is intended "to serve active workers in the Hughes campaign throughout the country."

The present number contains a summary of Mr. Hughes's labor record as Governor of New York, some of the labor opinions he rendered, and which were published by the *Legislative Labor News*, organ of the State Federation of Labor; a list of Americanism, by Jacob Gould Schurman; a statement by Cornelius Hiles, Jr., and articles by Miss Francis A. Kellor, head of the women's committee.

HUGHES OPENS TRIP TO PACIFIC COAST

Chairman Wilcox Accompanies Republican Candidate to Niagara Falls.

Charles E. Hughes left the Grand Central at 9:30 last night on his first swing around the circle. His first speech will be in Detroit to-morrow night. The trip will cover five weeks. San Diego, Cal., was added to the itinerary at the last minute. Mr. Hughes going there from Los Angeles and making a noonday speech, as well as visiting the exposition.

Accompanying Mr. Hughes on the train was Chairman Wilcox, who decided to stay over in Niagara Falls to-morrow with the candidate and reach Chicago on Monday. There he will announce the Western manager for the campaign. He and Mr. Hughes are to talk over the matter to-morrow. As stated in yesterday's *SUN*, A. T. Hert of Kentucky is most likely to get the job.

Republican leaders who have dropped into town in the last few days and who have expressed some concern over the appointment of a Western manager left for their homes yesterday. Before leaving town Senator W. Murray Crane, who opposed choosing Frank Hitchcock for the post, had a long talk with Mr. Hughes, and so did Herbert Parsons, who joined Senator Crane. After talking with them Mr. Hughes and Mr. Wilcox conferred.

Hitchcock Not a Candidate.

Friends of Mr. Hitchcock made it plain yesterday that he did not wish to be considered as a candidate for the Western job. Whatever work has been done for him has been done entirely by his friends. Failing to land Mr. Hitchcock, most of them, it was said, would acquiesce in the selection of Mr. Hert. Underneath the surface, however, there is still a great deal of bitter feeling over this "Chicago matter."

Before leaving last night Mr. Wilcox confirmed the *SUN*'s announcement yesterday that an advisory committee, made up largely of political strategists, would be appointed shortly to assist him in running the campaign. Senator Crane is credited with having had a good deal to do with this decision, though Mr. Wilcox said such a committee was not unprecedented. The weakness of the initial proceedings in this campaign, it was said, had been chiefly due to the lack of men with practical experience in politics about headquarters. Mr. Parsons has been one of the few men of this type doing any of the work at headquarters. Other men have been holding off, not knowing whether their presence was desired or not. But all this would be changed presently, it was said, the appointment of an advisory committee being the first step in this direction.

Pennsylvania Moose for Hughes.

Between conferences at the Astor Mr. Hughes got in a shopping trip and also paid a visit to the new headquarters, comprising four entire floors at 511 Fifth avenue. There he shook hands with most of the employees. Mr. Hughes was gratified to receive yesterday a letter signed by three-fourths of the Pennsylvania Progressive Electors chosen in 1912 endorsing his candidacy.

"We believe," they said, "that the people of Pennsylvania are prepared to support your candidacy by an overwhelming popular majority while maintaining fully our devotion to the Progressive principles so strongly indorsed four years ago. We are of the opinion that these principles may be safely entrusted to your hands."

HOTEL STEWARDS HERE TO-DAY

Annual Convention Opens To-morrow at Waldorf-Astoria.

Stewards of all the large hotels in America and Canada will reach town to-day to attend the sixteenth annual convention and exhibition of the International Association of Stewards, which is to open at the Waldorf-Astoria to-morrow and continue until Thursday.

There is to be an exhibition of the labor saving devices, and one can see how dishes are washed automatically, how potatoes are peeled, how butter is made. Comptroller Hartigan of the Bureau of Weights and Measures will address the stewards on short weights and measures. Oscar, maître d'hôtel of the Waldorf-Astoria, is to introduce the Mayor to the stewards on Tuesday.

New City Ticket Office Established

A fully equipped uptown ticket office has been established at 1180 Broadway, New York City, near 28th Street. Rail, Steamer and Pullman Tickets to all points in New England and the Provinces.

Maine Central R. R.
New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R.
Boston & Maine R. R.
New England Steamship Company

M'CORMICK GOES TO SEE WILSON TO-DAY

Expects to Set Date for Notification and Announce Committee.

"TOO LONG POSTPONED"

Party Leaders Declare Campaign Should Be Started at Once.

Vance C. McCormick, Democratic national chairman, will confer with President Wilson to-morrow and they probably will settle on a day for Wilson's notification. Mr. McCormick, before he left this city yesterday, said he hoped to be able to announce the day on his return.

Party leaders calling on the national chairman recently have got him jumpy on the subject of the notification. They have been telling him it has been too long postponed and that further delay may seriously handicap the Wilson campaign.

"The voters are beginning to think there is a hitch somewhere or that the President is afraid to tackle Hughes," they have said; "the only way to allay their suspicions is to notify Wilson and start the campaign."

Mr. McCormick said that when in Washington he would make it his business to learn just when Congress is to adjourn. The idea up to the present, he said, has been to put off the notification until the end of the session, but if it should develop that Congress is not likely to adjourn until after September, he would urge the President to set an early date irrespective of Congress.

Mr. McCormick was called hurriedly from the Forty-second street headquarters to the Hotel Astor in the forenoon yesterday. His aids were quite mystified about it. Later it was learned that the President's campaign manager had gone to the hotel to meet certain woman suffrage leaders. When questioned Mr. McCormick asked to be excused, from discussing it.

There is much speculation in Democratic circles as to the probable reason for the failure of Mr. McCormick to name the national campaign committee. It is not doubted, though, that the delay

with President Wilson, as it is everywhere assumed that the President is personally picking the members of the committee.

SUFF TILT IN SENATE.

Pittman Declares Hughes's Stand is Inconsistent.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—The attitude of Charles E. Hughes on the suffrage issue was the subject of a brief but lively debate in the Senate to-day. Senator Pittman of Nevada, a Democrat, and a candidate for reelection, pointed out that Mr. Hughes was inconsistent because he had accepted the Chicago convention nomination on the platform which declared for the right of each State to settle for itself whether suffrage should be granted to women. Senator Pittman said he did. Senator Works then asked if he had done anything to bring the matter to a vote in the Senate.

"It is on the calendar and it is my understanding that the Democratic leaders intend to try to pass every measure now on the calendar," replied Senator Pittman.

ACCUSES HUGHES OF TREASON.

Senator Lewis Assails Nominee's Speech of Acceptance.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—Senator Lewis, the Democratic whip, spoke in the Senate today in reply to the attack upon the Administration made by Charles E. Hughes in his speech accepting the Republican Presidential nomination.

Republican strictures upon the Administration's Mexican policy Senator Lewis denounced as "treasonable." He charged that the clause of the Republican platform repudiating interference in the internal affairs of Mexico was responsible for the massacre of troops at Carrizal.

"Not until the capture of the Republic of Mexico shot at the President of the United States did the Mexican soldiers shoot at the soldiers of the American President," he said.

Senator Fall, in reply, said the issue of the coming campaign would be the duty of a Government to its citizens. One admission by Senator Lewis in his speech appeared to give the Republicans much satisfaction and the Democrats much discomfiture. It was a statement that President Wilson at one time was on the point of recognizing Pancho Villa as the head of a de facto Government in Mexico. Senator Fall thanked Senator Lewis for this admission.

BRITISH CLAIM IN SENATE.

Court to Decide Shipwreck in Which Roosevelt Figured.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—The Senate passed to-day a bill reported by Senator Wadsworth to refer the claim of the owners of the steamship *Esparita* for adjudication to the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Louisiana.

The *Esparita* was owned by the Tropical Fruit Steamship Company, Limited, of Great Britain, and the claim grew out of the damages in a collision between the *Esparita* and the U. S. lighthouse tender *Magnolia* on October 26, 1905, on the Mississippi River below New Orleans. A Federal court has adjudged that the collision was due to the fault of the United States agents.

At the time of the collision President Roosevelt was aboard the *Magnolia* descending the river to take a warship to go to Hampton Roads from New Orleans. The claim amounts to about \$12,000.

19 MORE NURSES STRIKE.

They Walk Out of Sanford Hall, Flushing—Places Filled.

Nineteen nurses employed at Sanford Hall, a sanitarium at Flushing, which has among its patients members of New York wealthy families, left the institution in a body at noon yesterday.

Whether they were the night nurses or the nurses who took the places of other striking nurses in the sanitarium last Tuesday could not be learned. Dr. Walter S. Brown, the head of the institution, declared yesterday that the places of the striking nurses were immediately filled.

Ocean Tug Albert J. Stone Sunk.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Aug. 5.—The ocean tug *Albert J. Stone*, from New Bedford for New York, was blown up and sunk yesterday after striking a rock off Warren Point in Buzzards Bay, according to word brought here to-day by the crew.

WILSON MAN PICKED TO OUT TALK SUFFS

Ordered to Colorado Springs to Thwart Move to Support Hughes.

President Wilson is sending one of his best speakers to Colorado Springs, hot on the trail of the Woman's party, which convenes there August 10. Miss Alice Paul, who spent yesterday in New York making arrangements for the departure of Eastern representatives to the convention, said she had learned Secretary Tumulty had picked out the speaker and transmitted to him directions to be ready with his oratory the night of August 11.

when the women end their conference and hold their mass meeting, at which they will announce their policy in the campaign.

Miss Paul had a long talk yesterday with Miss Frances A. Kellor, head of the Women's Hughes Alliance. The alliance will have a representative at Colorado Springs to tell the women voters why they should vote the Republican ticket. Prohibitionists and Socialists will be represented there.

Mrs. Harriot Stanton Blatch, who starts to-day for the springs, has become a member of the Congressional Union's executive committee of ten. This occasion great rejoicing in Miss Paul's organization, for Mrs. Blatch, though for the Federal amendment, has always refused to identify herself with the C. U.

Fibre Made Into Shoes.

Malva fibre, which is produced in considerable quantities in Cuba, is being manufactured into shoes for the laboring classes in that country.

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Included will be Silk Dresses for afternoon and evening, as well as Dresses of lace, net or cotton.

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Silk Sports Dresses \$12.75
White Net Dresses 5.00
Cotton Dresses 3.90, 8.50 & 11.50
Sailor Dresses of white linen 5.00

Tailored Suits and Coats will be marked at extremely low prices.

(Misses' Department, Second Floor)

Closing-out Prices in Women's Summer Cotton Frocks

(sizes incomplete)

In order to facilitate a quick disposal of the remaining assortments, will be a feature of impelling interest to-morrow. All of these Frocks are attractive as to style and material, and offer really excellent values at

\$2.85, \$3.75, \$4.75 & \$6.25

(Third Floor, Madison Avenue section)

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affecting practically the entire remaining stock, will go into effect to-morrow. The following low prices should insure an immediate clearance:

Silk Suits (with combination) \$8.75 & 10.00
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Children's Suits, of wool jersey 1.25
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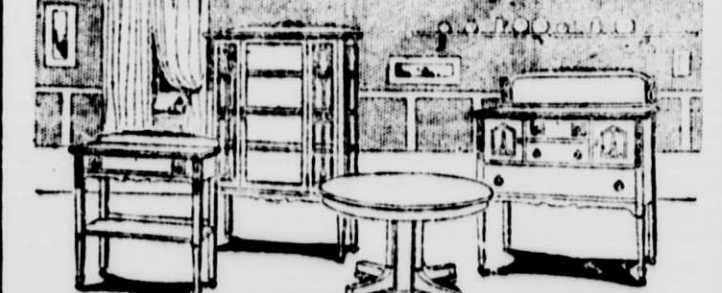
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Formerly	Sale Price	Formerly	Sale Price	Soft top; good grade	Regularly	Now	
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36.00	23.00	34.00	30.50	Combination Mattress,			
24.50	22.00	36.00	32.50	regular sizes	4.75	4.00	
29.00	26.00	38.50	34.50	All cotton Mattress	6.25	5.00	
Couch Beds with Mattresses				Felt Mattress	8.75	7.50	
Formerly	Sale Price	Formerly	Sale Price	Felt Mattress	8.00	8.00	
\$6.50	\$4.95	\$16.50	\$15.00	Genuine Ostermoor Felt Mattresses			
7.50	6.50	19.00	17.00	covered in high-grade art tick-			
11.50	9.75	17.00	15.25	ing; "hotel style," 8"			
15.00	13.50	20.25	18.25	single size			
		21.00	18.50	Larger sizes in proportion.			
White Enamel Beds				Hall Stands			
Regular	Sale	Regular	Sale	Formerly			
\$8.75	\$7.75	\$10.75	\$9.50	\$10.25	Golden Oak	\$9.25	
9.25	8.25	11.50	10.25	12.25	Golden Oak	11.00	
10.25	9.00	13.75	12.25	16.75	Golden Oak	15.00	
		14.50	13.00	18.00	Fumed Oak	16.00	
Spring Beds				19.25	Golden Oak	17.00	
Formerly	Sale Price	Formerly	Sale Price	20.25	Golden Oak	18.25	
\$3.50	\$3.00	\$5.25	\$4.25	26.25	Golden Oak	23.25	
3.75	3.25	6.25	5.25	45.50	Golden Oak	41.00	
2.50	2.10	7.25	6.25				
		8.50	7.25				

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